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At the Court at Whitehall,

April the Seventh, 1680.

Present,

The Kings most Excellent Majesty,

His Highness Prince Rupert	Earl of Bridgewater
Lord Archbishop of Canterbury	Earl of Essex
Lord Chancellor	M ^r . Hyde
Lord President	M ^r . Finch
Lord Privy Seal	M ^r . Secretary Coventry
Duke of Albemarle	Lord Chief Justice North
Marquess of Winchester	M ^r . Chancellor of the Exchequer
Marquess of Worcester	Sir Leoline Jenkins
Earl of Sunderland	M ^r . Godolphin.



OR the preventing tumultuous Disorders which may happen hereafter upon pretence of assembling to make Bonfires and Publique Fireworks, and disappointing the evil Designs of Persons disaffected to the Government, who commonly make use of such Occasions to turn those Meetings into Riots and Tumults:

It is this day Ordered by his Majesty in Council, That no person or persons whatsoever do presume to make or encourage the making any Bonfires or other publique Fireworks on the Twentyninth day of May next ensuing, being the Anniversary day of the Birth and happy Restauration of his most Sacred Majesty, or at or upon any other festival day, or at any other time or times whatsoever, without particular permission, leave, or Order first had from his Majesty, or this Board, or signified to them by the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor of London, or by the Justices of the Peace in their respective Limits, upon pain of his Majesties Displeasure, and being prosecuted with the utmost severity of the Law. Whereof all persons whom it may concern are to take Notice at their Perils.

FRANCIS GWYN.

L O N D O N,

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